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TAGS: OVIP (CARTER, JIMMY)

SUBJECT: LETTER TO PRIME MINISTER DESAI

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF JUNE 21 LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT
TO PRIME MINISTER DESAI. WE WILL DEFER TO YOUR JUDGMENT
WHETHER TEXT AS TRANSMITTED BELOW SHOULD BE DELIVERED IN
ADVANCE OF SIGNED ORIGINAL WHICH HAS BEEN POUCHED TO THE
POST.

2. QUOTE. DEAR MR. PRIME MINISTER:

IT WAS A GREAT PLEASURE FOR ROSALYNN AND ME TO WELCOME YOU
TO WASHINGTON AND TO RENEW OUR BONDS OF FRIENDSHIP. I
APPRECIATED ALSO THE OPPORTUNITY TO PROFIT FROM YOUR
COUNSEL ON BILATERAL AND GLOBAL CONCERNS.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR THE HANDSOME GIFTS FOR ME AND MY
FAMILY. YOUR SELECTIONS ARE SUPERB EXAMPLES OF INDIAN
ARTISTRY, BOTH OLD AND NEW. SEHGAL'S IMPRESSIVE BRONZE
INSPIRES OPTIMISM THAT WE CAN CONTINUE TO IMPROVE THE LIVES
OF ALL OUR PEOPLES.

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I LOOK FORWARD TO OUR CONTINUING DIALOGUE AS I SEND YOU MY
WARMEST REGARDS.

SINCERELY, JIMMY CARTER.

HIS EXCELLENCY

MORARJI DESAI
PRIME MINISTER OF INDIA
NEW DELHI

END QUOTE. VANCE

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